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SUBJECT: ARAB BOYCOTT OF ISRAEL: INVESTMENT IN EGYPT

REF: (A) CAIRO 1898 (B) STATE 282750 (NOTAL) (C) CAIRO 58

1. IN ADDITION TO LEGISLATION AND COMMERCE DEPARTMENT REGULATIONS RELATING TO ARAB BOYCOTT DESCRIBED STATE REFTL, DEPT OF STATE REGULATIONS PROHIBIT CERTIFICATION OF DOCUMENT WHEN CERTIFYING OFFICER HAS GOOD REASON TO BELIEVE IT WILL HAVE THE EFFECT OF FURTHERING OR SUPPORTING TRADE BOYCOTTS IMPOSED BY FOREIGN COUNTRIES AGAINST COUNTRIES FRIENDLY TO THE U.S.

2. THE RELEVANT REGULATIONS PROHIBITING AUTHENTICATION OF DOCUMENTS RELATED TO THE BOYCOTT ARE FOUND AT 22 CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS SECTION 131.2 WHICH PROVIDES:

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(A) THE DEPARTMENT WILL NOT CERTIFY TO (SIC) A DOCUMENT WHEN IT HAS GOOD REASON TO BELIEVE THAT THE CERTIFICATION IS DESIRED FOR AN UNLAWFUL OR IMPROPER PURPOSE. IT IS THEREFORE THE DUTY OF THE AUTHENTICATION OFFICER TO EXAMINE NOT ONLY THE DOCUMENT WHICH THE DEPARTMENT IS ASKED TO AUTHENTICATE, BUT ALSO THE FUNDAMENTAL DOCUMENT TO WHICH PREVIOUS SEALS OR OTHER CERTIFICATIONS MAY HAVE BEEN AFFIXED BY OTHER AUTHORITIES. THE AUTHENTICATION OFFICER

SHALL REQUEST SUCH ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO ESTABLISH THAT THE REQUESTED AUTHENTICATION WILL SERVE THE INTERESTS OF JUSTICE AND IS NOT CONTRARY TO PUBLIC POLICY.

(B) IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 3, PARAGRAPH 5, OF THE EXPORT ADMINISTRATION ACT OF 1969...DOCUMENTS WHICH HAVE THE EFFECT OF FURTHERING OR SUPPORTING THE RESTRICTIVE TRADE PRACTICES OR BOYCOTTS FOSTERED OR IMPOSED BY FOREIGN COUNTRIES AGAINST COUNTRIES FRIENDLY TO THE UNITED STATES SHALL BE CONSIDERED CONTRARY TO PUBLIC POLICY.

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